

# Court of Appeals, State of Michigan

## ORDER

**People of MI v Lamar Abdul Conner**

Docket No. **355517**

LC No. **20-001052-01-AR**

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Christopher M. Murray, Chief Judge, acting under MCR 7.211(E)(2), orders:

This cause is REMANDED to the trial court to appoint appellate counsel for the defendant-appellee. Matters pertaining to the appointment of an attorney are decided in the trial court. MCR 7.208(H). As counsel was previously appointed to represent the defendant during the trial court proceedings, counsel shall be appointed to represent the defendant on appeal. MCR 6.425(G)(1).

The trial court shall appoint counsel for defendant-appellee within 14 days of the Clerk's certification of this order. The circuit court shall send a copy of the order of appointment to this Court and the prosecuting attorney in this matter, Amy Somers (P65223), who in turn shall serve the application upon appointed appellate counsel within 7 days and provide this Court with a proof of service. The time for filing an answer to the application shall begin upon service of appointed appellate counsel.

It is the responsibility of the appointed trial lawyer to inform the defendant of this order and to make any appropriate motion to implement the provisions of this order. MCR 6.005(H)(4).

This Court retains jurisdiction.

  
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A true copy entered and certified by Jerome W. Zimmer Jr., Chief Clerk, on

January 21, 2021

Date

  
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Chief Clerk